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Monthly Report - July 1958

1. Accomplishments

a. Branch Projects Submitted

33.1746 - Estimated Floorspace of Tbilisi Airframe Plant  
No. 31.

33.1924 - Quarterly Estimate of the Production of Aircraft  
in the Sino-Soviet Bloc. April - June 1958.

37.2076 - Economic Intelligence [REDACTED] from the USSR (R)  
[REDACTED] publication). 25X1X7  
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b. Other Projects Submitted

30.1805 - Soviet Military Expenditures (Contributions to  
action branch)

10.1806 - Soviet Capabilities and Probable Courses of Action  
through 1965 (Contributions)

10.1813 - Outlook for Stability in Poland (Contributions)  
S-349 - Comments on ADII Study of Soviet Nuclear Plants

c. Special Research

Branches expended 42 hours in special research in July.

d. Other

Branch contributions to OGI Periodic Requirements List, USSR  
and European Satellites.

Comments on Proposed Briefing Guide for Commercial Travelers  
in the USSR (for St/1)

Review of ORR Project No. 47.1964, Construction in Communist  
China During the First Five Year Plan (I/MS)

Proposed GID item (I/AR)

Review of [REDACTED] sample of metalforming machinery (I/MS)

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2. Training

- a. The course Russian Familiarization, was completed by  
25X1A9a [REDACTED])
- b. Two D/I branch chiefs participated in Operation ALERT in  
July.
- c. The Intermediate Russian Reading Course was completed by  
25X1A9a [REDACTED] (I/MS), in addition to personnel named in the  
June report.
- d. [REDACTED] (I/AR) completed a course in Forecasting and  
25X1A9a Scheduling at [REDACTED]

3. Trips

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- a. [REDACTED] returned to duty in I/GM on completion of TDY  
in support of EEC interrogations.
- b. G. [REDACTED] (I/GM) will depart 1 August for about 90 days  
TDY at [REDACTED] to provide support and assistance in interrogation  
of Spanish returnees from the USSR on economic matters.

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4. Administration

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- a. Effective 1 July 1958, [REDACTED] (Ch/I/EM) was appointed  
Chairman of the EEC Subcommittee on Electronics and  
Telecommunications.
- b. The following professional personnel entered on duty in D/T  
in July:  
[REDACTED] I/MS  
[REDACTED] I/PE  
[REDACTED] I/AR

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- c. The revised T/O for D/I was placed in effect during the month.

5. Plans

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- a. The agenda of the [REDACTED] Electronics Conference  
tentatively scheduled to meet in October 1958, is being expanded  
to provide for sessions on economic aspects of the subject.
- b. Plans are under way to meet with [REDACTED] 25X1A5a1  
(D/I Consultant) so that he can evaluate our work on machine  
tools and automation and give us the benefit of current US  
thinking on these problems.

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6. Problems

Resolution of a problem previously commented on can be reported. It is understood that PIB has resumed reporting on the Soviet electronics goods industry, and that findings will be assembled in a new PIB Summary to be entitled "The Electronic and Precision Electrical Industry of the USSR".

7. Recommendations

No comment

8. Other Information

- a. Chief D/I and other division personnel briefed [REDACTED] 25X1A9a and [REDACTED] on the information needs of D/I, and engaged in discussions with [REDACTED] on subjects of mutual interest. 25X1X7
- b. Chief D/I and the Guided Missiles Branch provided in connection with NIE 11-5-58 and to two IAC AD Hoc Working Groups established to assist CIO with a special study for the Det Evaluations Subcommittee.
- c. Deputy Chief D/I briefed the reports office designee of the German Station on D/I missions, functions, and requirements.

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